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### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/723,344 First Named Applicant: Christian Alexander Lang  
Examiner: Gregory J. Vaughn Art Unit: 2178 Status of Application: pending

#### Tentative Participants:

(1) Examiner Gregory J. Vaughn (2) James M Lee  
(3) (4)

Proposed Date of Interview: Feb. 9, 2009

Proposed Time: 2PM AM/PM

#### Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated:

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description:

#### Issues To Be Discussed

Issue (Rej., Obj., etc)	Cls/mw/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) Rej.	1, 16, 17, and 18	Katz and Neal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2)			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

#### Brief Description of Argument to be Presented:

Cited references do not teach recited limitations. For instance, Neal, col. 11, ll. 48-55, does not teach "wherein the user need not consider any annotations when a single allowed annotation . . . , and when more than a single annotation is automatically determined . . . (a) in a first mode . . . (b) in a second mode . . . " as recited in the independent claims.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

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Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

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